

# Jacksonville Daily Journal

JACKSONVILLE, ILLINOIS, THURSDAY MORNING, JUNE 2, 1904.

## ARE LOCKED AS TIGHT AS EVER

### NO CHANGE IN GUBERNATORIAL CONTEST

Five More Ballots Taken by Republican State Convention—Proposition to Release Delegates Now Pending.

WEDNESDAY'S BALLOTING.

	62.	63.	64.	65.	66.
Yates	470	365	471	473	471
Lowden	494	461	467	414	411
Deneen	391	393	385	381	384
Hammill	116	121	116	117	119
Warner	40	43	39	37	36
Shorman	52	51	52	52	51
Pierce	28	27	27	27	26

Springfield, June 1.—The Republican state convention took five more ballots to day without breaking the gubernatorial deadlock and without producing any material change in the standing of candidates. Three important propositions were presented to the convention during the day, all designed to end the contest. Two were rejected and the other is now before the committee on resolutions. These propositions were:

First, discontinue roll calls and vote by secret ballot. This came from a Deneen delegate, but was repudiated by Deneen and most of the other candidates.

Second, refer the governorship back to the party through primaries to be held on the same day throughout the state. This was proposed by Yates, but the other candidates were a unit against the plan and it was lost by a vote of two to one.

Third, that candidates be requested to release their delegates from further obligations and permit them to vote regardless of instructions. Both Yates and Deneen are opposed to it and it will probably be beaten if it gets out of the committee.

The convention assembled this morning with less fire and feathers than on any previous session. The hall did not fill and the delegates came in unarmed with signs, banners or placards. There was not a cheer for any one or anything. A couple of brass bands played short selections and quit. No candidate made a spectacular entry, even the governor-elect, who came in the middle of the crowd.

After the announcement of telegrams and letters the sixty-second roll was called. The first change was a split up in DeKalb, where six voted for Lowden and six for Deneen and one for Yates. The county has been going for Yates solid, but six of the delegates decided to change. Colonel Elwood, head of the county, got good and even with them by delivering six of the delegates to Deneen, thus counteracting the Lowden gain. Massac county broke its five votes, giving only four to Yates and one to Lowden. The result showed a slight loss for Yates, who ended with 471. Lowden was the principal gainer, receiving 495.

When the sixty-second ballot had been announced the chair recognized H. H. Ross of the Sixth ward, Chicago, who offered the following resolution for seven secret ballots, and moved its adoption:

"Resolved, That when the next succeeding roll call shall have been completed further roll calls shall be discontinued and in lieu thereof the vote shall be by ballot, every delegate to secretly write upon a slip of paper the name of his candidate for governor, inclose and seal the same in an envelope; these slips to be gathered by the chairman of the respective delegations when the same are called for and shall be carried by him, in full view above his head, and deposited with the secretary of this convention."

"Resolved, That the sergeant-at-arms be hereby directed to procure and distribute to the several delegations sufficient slips of paper and envelopes for seven such ballots."

"Resolved, further, That the ballot of absent delegates shall be cast as directed by the majority of the delegates present at the several delegations, as provided by the rules of this convention."

"Resolved, That the several candidates or governor may each appoint a teller to assist in counting the ballots so cast, upon completion of the count the chairman shall announce the aggregate vote received by the several candidates. The tellers cast shall, after count and verification, be securely sealed and delivered to the chairman of this convention and by him burned as an unopened package immediately upon the recess of the convention being taken."

At the conclusion of the reading of the resolutions Mr. Ross rose and began as follows: "The first and paramount duty of the delegates to this convention is to the Republican party."

The speaker was interrupted by cries of "Louder" and Chairman Cannon gavelled for order. After several minutes Mr. Ross stood upon his chair and spoke as follows:

"Mr. Chairman and gentlemen of the convention, it seems to me to be the paramount duty of the delegates to this convention to conserve the interests of the Republican party of the state of Illinois. I hold that the success of the party is of vastly greater importance than the success of any or all the candidates that have been mentioned upon this platform. (Applause.)

"For ten days and some sixty-one ballots we have been laboring here with a proposition, and apparently are no nearer a solution than when we began. The delegates of this convention have, in my judgment, very largely been voting their pride instead of their judgment. The situation is such that few men have the moral courage to make a change, though they believe a change is necessary and desire one to be made. It is manifestly evident to every member of this convention that no change can be made so long as every delegates votes for the man of his first choice. The second choice, after the first, may possibly be nominated. I offer this resolution because I believe it is manifestly fair. I offer it not in the interest of any candidate, and upon my own judgment, as being the surest, the fairest and speediest method of disposing of this proposition and breaking the deadlock. I believe the time has come when the delegates to this convention must take a hand in the management of it, and therefore I have offered the resolution."

Warden Murphy, leader of the Yates forces, moved that the resolution be referred to the committee on resolutions. On a viva voce vote the chair could not determine who was in the majority and he ordered a roll call. Clero J. Lindley made the point at the opening of the convention a rule was adopted referring all resolutions to the committee without debate. The chair ruled that this point had been made too late. He explained that even had this not been so, he would have overruled the point for the reason it must be apparent that the convention has the power to change its rules and methods of doing business at any time. The roll was then called on the motion to refer to committee. Adams started off in favor of reference. The Lowden and Deneen men voted "aye" also and it was soon seen that the motion had plenty to carry it through. The vote was as follows: Yates, 124; may, 25.

Chairman Walter Reeves then asked the resolutions committee to meet immediately. Chairman Cannon ordered the sixty-third roll call on governor.

During the adding of the last ballot Chairman Cannon discovered a number of small volcans in different sections of the hall. He showed his displeasure in his vigorous tones and determined air. He instructed the officers of the convention to put the men who were violating the orders out of the building, and if they were delegates to report them to the chair.

About the same time the bunch came to him that among the leading violators of the smoke ordinance were several deputy sergeants at arms. This aroused Uncle Joe's anger to still higher heights and he went after the gentlemen rough shod.

The motion was then made to take a recess until two o'clock, and was declared carried.

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Toastmaster Ford aroused the wildest enthusiasm of the evening by toasting the Japanese navy. Half the dinner had gone, but those who remained cheered and cheered again and broke their glasses on the floor after drinking the toast. Rear Admiral Rodgers, who was to have responded to the toast, "The Navy," was absent. Ford said:

"I cannot refrain, even with my notions of observing strict neutrality, from speaking of another navy than that which we would have toasted had Rear Admiral Rodgers been here. Gentlemen, I ask you to drink to the success of the Japanese navy, of which we have here a most fitting representative, Captain Takekoshi, the naval attaché of the Japanese legation at Washington."

After prolonged cheering and breaking of glasses Takekoshi said: "In drinking this health I wish to thank you, but I wish also that you shall drink to the Japanese navy. 'Banzai!'"

None of the military men present would discuss the incident after the dinner.

PIERCE RESIGNS

Candidate for Republican Nomination for Governor Sovers Connection with the Western Tube Company.

Kewanee, Ill., June 1.—John H. Pierce, president of the Western Tube company, and candidate for governor, has tendered his resignation, to take effect June 1. The work at the head of this great corporation has been exacting and Mr. Pierce resigns in order to gain an opportunity to recuperate.

For more than thirty years Mr. Pierce has been prominently identified with this big concern, which now employs 4,000 men, and for the last fifteen years he has been president of the company. A. M. Hewlett, vice president, succeeds to the presidency. He has been with the company twenty-five years. Charles I. Pierce, secretary of the company, and son of John H. Pierce, also tendered his resignation today.





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## PARTY BIRTHDAY TO BE OBSERVED.

Fifty years ago, on Aug. 1, 1851, the Republican party was launched upon the political sea at Ottawa, Ill. It has been decided to celebrate the golden anniversary in notable style on the first of August, 1901, at that place, and already extensive preparations are under way by the leading members of the party in Illinois. It may not be possible to secure the presence of President Roosevelt, although he will be given an urgent invitation. The nominees for vice president, governors, state officers and many other men prominent in public life will be present and deliver addresses.

The semi-centennial celebration is to be the formal commencement of the campaign of 1901 in Illinois, and it is up to expectations, it may be said to be the beginning of the campaign for the party in the entire country. No more interesting political anniversary could be celebrated, and the fact that the Republican party is fifty years old and with a matchless record in the political history of the United States will be a powerful aid to the success of the party in November. The leaders of the organization in central Illinois are keenly appreciative of the effect of a successful demonstration for such an occasion, and that it will grow to national scope and importance seems assured.

The meeting in Ottawa on Aug. 1, 1851, promises to grow in historic interest when its history is exploited and some of the events connected therewith are recalled.

J. F. Linton, of Columbus, Ohio, one of the few survivors of the meeting, recalls that Cassius M. Clay, of Kentucky, visited northern Illinois about a month prior to the Ottawa convention in 1851 and addressed meetings in Chicago, Joliet, Ottawa, LaSalle, Bloomington and other places, exciting a great deal of anti-slavery enthusiasm. His speeches had an influence toward the calling of the Ottawa convention. The call was brief and read: "A general mass meeting for all those opposed to the encroachments of slavery, without distinction of party, to organize such opposition as may be deemed necessary and expedient."

The Rock Island railroad granted a half fare to those attending. The attendance was estimated at 500. The farmers were in the midst of their harvesting and hands were demanding from \$2 to \$5 per day. The time, therefore, was inopportune for a large attendance. Of those present it was estimated that about one-half had been acting with the Whig party, one-fourth with the Democratic and the remaining fourth with the Free Silers.

The meeting was harmonious upon the question of restricting slavery and keeping it out of the territories, but there was some difference of opinion as to the expediency of organizing a new party, and when it came to the choice of a name, some vigorous objections were made to the name "Republican." In the end, however, the resolutions were unanimously adopted substantially as reported by the committee. At the delegate convention held in Bloomington on the 12th of September, to nominate a candidate for congress, objections were made both to the name and some of the planks in the Ottawa platform.

The questions were debated with a good deal of warmth throughout the greater part of the afternoon, but it was finally decided that the party was formed, its principles agreed upon, and its name fixed at Ottawa, and that the convention had but one duty to perform, simply to choose a congressional candidate. A resolution

was adopted declaring that "No person could be eligible for a nomination unless he unequivocally stood upon the platform of principles adopted at Ottawa, and pledged himself, if defeated for the nomination, not to run as the candidate for any other organization, and in a brief speech fairly and unequivocally accepted the situation. Churchill Coffin followed in a felicitous speech, endorsing everything done at Ottawa, withdrawing from the contest for congress and moving the nomination of Norton by acclamation.

Abraham Lincoln addressed a meeting in that city in the evening after the adjournment of the Ottawa convention, and approved of the movement and name. It will be noticed by those who search the files of the papers published in Illinois at that time that the suggestion of the convention that all succeeding county conventions be called under the name "Republican" was acted upon merely throughout the state during the following month.

Mr. Linton says that the famous Ottawa convention was held in the open air in front of the present site of the court house. At that time it was a commodious yard with large shade trees. Wells Wait was the temporary president of the convention and Judge E. S. Leland the permanent. The secretaries were: E. T. Bridges, LaSalle; Thaddeus Hampton, editor of the Ottawa Republican, and Mr. Linton, who was then editor of the Peru Chronicle. A committee on resolutions was appointed, consisting of Churchill Coffin, of Peru, who was chairman; Richard Thorne, A. A. Fisher, A. Woodruff, John Hestford, L. D. Smith, Wells Wait, S. R. Lewis and G. W. Jackson.

While this committee was preparing the resolutions Rev. M. P. Sweet, then pastor of the Methodist church in Peru, and who was the Whig candidate for congress in the Chicago district in 1850, being defeated by Long John Wentworth, addressed the meeting. He was one of the most eloquent and forceful orators and lawyers in Illinois in his time. He became a minister in 1851 and his speech so angered the members of the Democratic party in his church, and they criticised him so severely that he abandoned the pulpit at the end of the conference year and resumed the practice of law in Freeport. His address before the Ottawa convention is recalled as one of the most eloquent and impassioned denunciations of slavery ever heard at a political meeting in the country.

The committee on resolutions reported, in part, as follows: "Resolved, That in cooperation with the friends of freedom in other parts of the union, we hereby form ourselves into the 'Republican party,' pledged to the accomplishment of the following purposes to-wit: To bring the administration back to its original principles of liberty; to restore the prohibition of slavery to the territories of Kansas and Nebraska, and to prohibit it in all other territories now belonging to or hereafter acquired by the United States; to repeal the fugitive slave act of 1850; to permit the states where slavery exists to continue to be weakened and injured by it till reason, removing the veil from their eyes, shall induce them to protect themselves by its abolition; to protect the constitutional rights of all citizens going to other states; to advocate the democratic and oppose the aristocratic principle at all times, and on all occasions, without exception."

The Ottawa mass meeting chose delegates to the congressional conven-

tion in Bloomington Sept. 12 and also arranged for county conventions in LaSalle, Grundy and Livingston counties to select delegates for a senatorial convention in Ottawa on Sept. 2.

## LYNNVILLE.

The rain which came Sunday and Monday interfered considerably with farm work in our vicinity. A number have more or less corn to replant and the growth is not in fit condition to work.

Bro. K. L. Bowen's visit last week was very much enjoyed and fine audiences greeted him.

Miss Frank Gordon was able to visit Jacksonville friends last week. Mrs. E. W. Crum and son Edwin, of Glasgow, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Jones.

Mr. Williams, of the Jacksonville Business college, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McKinney for several days last week.

Misses Roy Heaton and Carl Gordon were in St. Louis attending the world's fair most of the past week.

A number of our young people were in attendance at the ice cream festival held at Hickory school house Saturday evening. A pleasant time was enjoyed.

The M. W. A. fraternity here will have a festival in the school house yard on the 11th of June (Saturday evening), to which everybody is cordially invited.

The young folks of Lynnville and Point neighborhoods are contemplating having a fishing party Wednesday afternoon. The beautiful Mowadette will be the stream where they expect to angle for the fluky tribe.

## POINT.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson, of Jacksonville, spent Sunday with relatives in this neighborhood.

The many friends of Leslie Richardson will regret to learn that he is still very seriously ill.

Misses Jennie Lazenby and Lulu Mawson and Frank Hanson and Herbert Mawson were recent visitors at the home of Walter Bobbitt, near Chapin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schumaker, of Ashland, are visiting at the home of G. Reese.

Most of the farmers in this vicinity have finished corn planting and many are now at work cultivating.

## JUNE WEATHER RECORD.

The weather history of the month of June is briefly and succinctly given in the bulletin issued by the weather bureau giving data from the records of the department for twenty-four years past. These facts are not to be construed in the nature of a forecast for the coming month. The bulletin shows the mean temperature of the month to be 72 degrees. The warmest June was in 1890, when the mean was 76 degrees, and the coldest in 1902, when the mean was 67 degrees. The highest temperature for the month of June was 98 degrees on June 25, 1901, and the lowest 49 degrees on June 6, 1891. The average precipitation for the month is 1.55 inches, but in 1892 there was 12.71 inches of rainfall, being the greatest monthly rainfall recorded. The least monthly precipitation for June was in 1900, when it was 1.45 inches. The average number of clear days of June has been 8; partly cloudy days, 11; cloudy, 8; the prevailing winds for the month have been from the south and the highest velocity recorded was forty-four miles an hour, on June 22, 1901, when the wind blow from the northwest.

## SQUIRREL SEASON OPEN JULY 1.

The first game that may be lawfully killed during the summer of 1901 (squirrel season) is on July 1. The open season begins July 1 and closes Dec. 31. For woodcock it is from Aug. 1 to Dec. 1; snipe and plover, from Sept. 1 to May 1; eggs of prairie chicken, grouse, quail, wild turkey, duck, goose, bean, song or insectivorous birds must not be destroyed or removed from the nest. Owners or occupants of land may kill birds or animals that destroy fruit or property.

Owners of farm lands, their children or tenants may hunt or kill game on their own farms during the open season without procuring a resident license, but they violate the law if they hunt beyond the lines of their own farm lands without first having procured a hunter's license. Non-residents who hunt game in the state of Illinois must take out a non-resident's license. Such license may be secured from the county clerk, and must be carried while hunting.

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## RELATIONS BROKEN OFF.

Appleton, Wis., June 1.—Relations between paper mill employers and employees, which have been strained to the utmost, unexpectedly broke to day. The Combined Locks mills' employees to day refused to go to work. Other mills' employees are to follow before Saturday. To day's action was taken after a statement by mill owners, in which they asserted that two and a half years' dealing through the union had proved to them the union cannot be relied upon to carry out its contracts.

Dr. Morton, of Taylorville, was in the city Wednesday to bring a patient to Central hospital. He is a son of Rev. Mr. Morton, who was pastor of Westminster church a number of years ago. He graduated in medicine at Northwestern University in 1892, and is doing well in his profession.

## COMING EVENTS.

## ILLINOIS COLLEGE.

- June 2, Thursday—Annual reunion Academy alumnae at Academy hall, 8 p. m.
- June 3, Friday—Conservatory commencement and alumnae concert at Westminster church, 8 p. m.
- June 4, Saturday—Society love feasts, 8 p. m.
- June 5, Sunday—Baccalaureate sermon.
- June 6, Monday—Orange Orange day. The Senior promenade.
- June 7, Tuesday—Class day. Whipple academy commencement. Phi Alpha triennial reunion.
- June 8, Wednesday—Commencement day. Annual meeting of the board of trustees. College commencement. Alumni dinner. President's reception.

## SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND.

- June 7, Tuesday—Commencement exercises at 10 a. m. Address by Richard Edwards, ex-superintendent public instruction.
- June 10, Friday—Concert by Miss Tanner's pupils.

## SPECIAL TAXATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the city council of the city of Jacksonville, having ordained that a pipe sewer be constructed on South Clay avenue in said city from the intersection of said street with the brook sewer, south on the center line of said street to the center line of Superior avenue, the ordinance for the same being on file in the office of the city clerk, and have applied to the county court of Morgan county for an assessment of the costs of said improvement, according to benefits, and an assessment therefor having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had on the 14th day of June, A. D. 1904, or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit. All persons desiring may file objections in said court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

Said special tax shall be divided into ten installments, which installments shall all be equal in amount, except that all fractional amounts shall be added to the first, and shall be due and payable on the 2d day of January next after completion and acceptance of the work, and the second installment one year thereafter, and so on annually until all are paid. All installments except the first shall bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, from date of issue of the first voucher on account of completion of the work.

B. A. VanWinkle, Commissioner.

## SPECIAL TAXATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the city council of the city of Jacksonville, having ordained that a brick street pavement be constructed on West Court street in said city, from the intersection of North Church street and West Court street, and running east to the intersection of North West street and West Court street, the ordinance for the same being on file in the office of the city clerk, and have applied to the county court of Morgan county for an assessment of the costs of said improvement, according to benefits and an assessment therefor having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had on the sixteenth day of June, A. D. 1904, or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit. All persons desiring may file objections in said court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

Said special tax shall be divided into ten installments, which installments shall all be equal in amount except that all fractional installments shall be added to the first, and shall be due and payable on the 2d day of January next after completion and acceptance of the work, and the second installment one year thereafter, and so on annually until all are paid. All installments except the first shall bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum.

George T. Hamilton, Com.

## SPECIAL TAXATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the city council of the city of Jacksonville, having ordained that a brick street pavement be constructed on South Clay avenue, beginning at the south line of East State street, in said city, with the intersection with said South Clay avenue, running thence south to the intersection of East Morton avenue with said South Clay avenue, for a distance of 14 feet on either side of the center line thereof, together with the intersections of streets and alleys intersecting the same; the ordinance for the same being on file in the office of the city clerk, and have applied to the county court of Morgan county for an assessment of the costs of said improvement, according to benefits, and an assessment therefor having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had on the 20th day of June, A. D. 1904, or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit. All persons desiring may file objections in said court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

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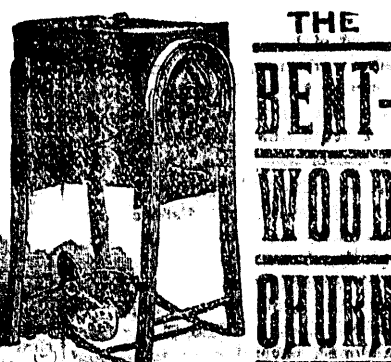
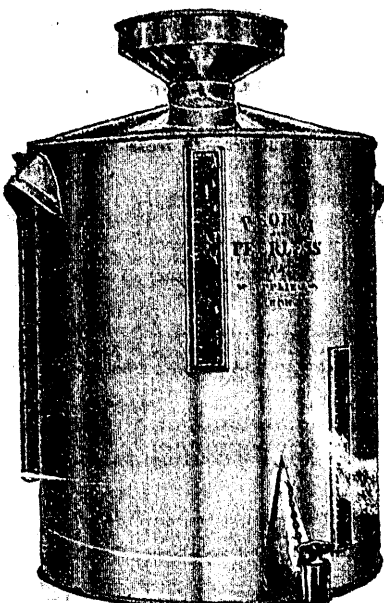
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Chicago, ex. Sunday	1:12 pm
Chicago-Peoria	5:48 pm
For Chicago	2:58 pm
GOING SOUTH AND WEST.	
J. & St. L.	
For St. Louis	6:30 am
For St. Louis	2:55 pm
C. & A.	
For Kansas City	10:06 am
For Kansas City and St. Louis	11:47 am
For Kansas City	5:43 am
For St. Louis, ex. Sunday	7:20 am
For St. Louis, ex. Sunday	4:05 pm
For St. Louis, ex. Sunday	5:52 pm
GOING EAST.	
Wabash	
For Hannibal, Quincy and Kansas City	7:04 am
For Hannibal, Quincy and Kansas City	6:59 pm
Decatur Accommodation	10:10 am
Kansas City Mail	1:42 pm
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Wabash	
For Toledo	8:37 am
For Toledo	8:54 pm
Decatur Accommodation	3:10 pm
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FROM NORTH.	
C., P. & St. L.	
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C., P. & St. L.	9:45 am
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J. & St. L.	
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## City and County

W. A. Malone was in from Orleans yesterday.

Miss Rebecca McHenry is visiting in Litchfield.

Louis Hoffman is visiting relatives in Springfield.

J. M. Stice was in from Prentice Wednesday.

Amos Kellogg was a Springfield visitor yesterday.

Louis Redding is visiting friends near Pittsfield.

Miss Nellie Sheehan went to Effingham yesterday.

Miss Elson Barnes is visiting with friends in Chapin.

Mrs. Amanda Redding is visiting friends in Roadhouse.

Frank Strawn was in Alexander on business yesterday.

Ice cream; Ethie.

Mrs. Neil Ducksell has returned from a Springfield visit.

Felix Farrell transacted business in Alexander Wednesday.

Frank Hart, of Sinclair, was calling in the city Wednesday.

Ice cream at Ethie's.

E. E. Harney, of Springfield, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. W. Diller, of Springfield, is visiting friends in the city.

Douglas Turley was in from the Bend neighborhood yesterday.

Dr. Caldwell, of Murrayville, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

O. P. McKinsey was a business visitor in Orleans Wednesday.

Samuel Walker was among the pilgrims to Springfield yesterday.

Lycurus Goben is attending the great convention in Springfield.

Dr. W. M. Conn, of Chicago, was a visitor in the city Wednesday.

William Mortimer, of Woodson, was in the city on business yesterday.

See Ethie's ice cream parlors.

Walter Long, of Litchfield, was in the city on business Wednesday.

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Mrs. Ramsdell and child, of Woodson, visited in the city Wednesday.

Julius Strawn, of the vicinity of Alexander, was in the city yesterday.

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Miss Susie Sage expected to go to St. Louis to day to take in the big fair.

John Coulson, of Murrayville, was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Levis Rexroat, of Concord precinct, was trading in the city yesterday.

Mrs. A. W. Baldwin is visiting for a week with her parents in Carlinville.

The advertising car of Gentry Bros. shows was in the city yesterday.

T. R. Maxwell, of New Berlin, was a caller in the city Tuesday and Wednesday.

S. H. Tilden left on his regular trip Wednesday. Litchfield was to be his first stop.

Louis Caldwell, of Joy Prairie, went to Springfield yesterday to take in the convention.

Dr. I. Rawlings, of Chicago, who has been in the city on business, has returned home.

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Frank Smith and sister, Miss Ella Smith, are visiting friends and relatives in St. Louis.

John Carson, a prominent merchant of Murrayville, was a caller in the city yesterday.

Frank Craven returned yesterday to Chandlerville, after visiting here for a short time.

Miss Myrtle Short, of the Woman's college, returned to her home in Denver, Colo., Wednesday.

Rev. C. G. Snow expected to leave to day for Walshville to visit with his son for a few weeks.

The Morning Card club of the Country club, will meet at the club house this morning at 9:30.

Order ice cream of Ethie.

Mrs. Frank Best and child, and Mrs. E. J. Osborne left yesterday for Girard to visit for several days.

Harold E. Stephens, of Lexington, Ky., is visiting at the home of E. W. Crawford on East North street.

Miss Marcie Leigh Stott is enjoying a short visit with her friends, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. McCarty in Cracker's Bend.

Miss Pearl Wylder will leave to day for Litchfield and Alto to make an extended visit with relatives and friends.

W. Overand and T. W. Brenton, of Taylorville, were in the city yesterday to bring Mrs. Overand to a hospital here.

The proper thing for commencement present is a box of Allegretti's chocolates, get them at Vickery & Merrigan's.

Mite club No. 7 will meet Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Charles Berry on North Sandy street.

The Wide Awake Band of the Congregational church will meet Friday afternoon with Emily Foster, 1053 Hardin avenue.

Miss Bessie Richards will leave this morning for Fargo, N. D., to spend the summer with her aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth McHenry.

Carl Pitner has returned from an extended business visit in Ireland and England. His brother, Lloyd, arrived several days ago.

Congressman Henry T. Rainey, of Carrollton, and Hon. L. D. Hirschelmer, of Pittsfield, were visitors in the city Wednesday.

Rev. William Schaller, of Quincy, stopped over in Jacksonville on his way from Chicago to Quincy, with Rev. H. Hallberg, Wednesday.

Ed M. Jackson, contracting agent with the famous Gentry Bros. shows, was in the city Wednesday arranging for the annual visit to this city on June 13.

Miss Ninetta Layton was expected to arrive yesterday from Baton Rouge, La., where she has been employed as a teacher in the state school for the blind.

Ice cream can be had at Ethie's, East or West State street.

Miss Anne Hinrichsen, of Alexander, attended the dancing party given Wednesday evening at the Country club by Miss Mae Brown and Miss Myrtle Wood.

T. Pearce, a real estate man of Pine Bluff, Ark., was a guest of the Galbraith brothers Wednesday. He was in the city getting pointers on paving.

The Home Missionary society of the Baptist church will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. George Hocking, 446 South Main street.

Ethie's soda water is fine.

Miss Mabelle Parrott expects to leave this morning to attend the world's fair, and will visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. N. Gettys, in St. Louis.

Philip Schulz, Sr., has returned from Chicago, where he attended the Illinois district meeting of the German Lutheran synod, reporting a very successful meeting.

In the list of the names of pupils neither absent nor tardy in the Fourth ward, Washington school, the name of Miss Elwyn Leak was incorrectly printed Peak.

Champion Ferguson expected to leave this afternoon for his Arkansas home, after spending a few weeks most pleasantly among his friends and relatives in old Illinois.

Miss Mottie Brown, of the Woman's college, returned to her home in Litchfield Wednesday. She was accompanied by Misses Edna Filson and Helen Birch, graduates of the college, who will spend a few days at her home.

## SPECIAL VALUES

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## Dry Goods Department

Ladies' Lawn Waists, Summer Corsets, Fine Muslin and Knit Underwear, Light weight fabrics in all colors for summer dresses. Nice assortment of stocks and turnover collars. Children's hoods, kamons and sun bonnets. A few more fine dress silks left at 39c and 69c.

## Clothing Department

Men's and boys' summer clothing.  
Men's and boy's summer underwear.  
Men's and boys' new style hats.  
Men's and boys' shirts, socks and suspenders.  
Trunks, traveling bags and suit cases.

## Shoe Department

Men's and ladies patent and vici kid low cut shoes.  
Ladies, misses' and children's slippers.  
Shoe polish.

## Book and Stationery Department

Hammocks, Base Ball Goods and Graduating presents.

## China Department

Earthen water coolers, with or without filters, water sets and china for graduating gifts.

## Hardware Department

Door and window screens, ice cream freezers, lawn mowers, building material, gasoline stoves and water urns.

## Paint Department

Ready mixed paints, B. P. S. lead and oils, varnish and brushes of all kinds.

## Furniture Department

Refrigerators and ice boxes, porch chairs, lawn seats, spring cots, baby carriages and go-carts.

## Carpet Department

Carpets, matting, art squares, lace curtains and rugs.

## Wall Paper Department

Wall paper in new patterns. Window shades in all styles.

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## CLASS DINNER.

Tuesday evening the resident members of the class of '02, of the Woman's college, together with the visiting members present for commencement, held a most delightful reunion at the Colonial Inn. The affair was in the nature of a 6 o'clock dinner and the occasion proved to be one of mirth and reminiscence.

Miss Grace Brahm, of Fairmont, W. Va., a former instructor at the college, chaperoned the party, which included Misses Frances Wakely, Ella Blackburn, Stella Shuff, Rifea DeFrances, Minnie Huckleby, Inez Huckleby, Elizabeth Mathers, Anna Stevenson, Benah Dyer, Pauline Patton, of Virden; Flora Shuff, New Berlin; Mrs. Jessie Achenbach, Curminto, of Carrollton, and Miss Xella Reese, '00, of Pann.

Fancy dyers and dry cleaners Give us a trial, 223 West Morgan St.

## SILENCE IS GOLDEN.

Former President Cleveland announces that Judge Parker is the only logical candidate for president, says the Bloomington Bulletin. Talking too much has not heretofore been one of Mr. Cleveland's faults, but he probably does not fully realize the blight of his personal endorsement so far as the west is concerned. It was pretty well understood among the money men of the east with whom Cleveland is particularly strong, that Parker was satisfactory to him, hence there was no necessity for hiring a band. Such friendships are not for publication. In city campaigns gamblers and various ordinance violators often contribute to the campaign fund of the candidate they seek to have elected and also vote for him and get all of their friends to do the same, but the utmost care is always exercised that do not print any open letter or listen to the seductive voice of the newspaper interviewer.

## LICENSED TO MARRY.

George B. Waitland, Paw Paw, Ill.; Miss Florence R. Alkire. Owen D. Graff, Jacksonville; Miss Marietta Martin Loftus. Harley F. Spelman, Jacksonville; Miss Wilhelmina Rottger. John Kelly, Jacksonville; Mrs. Catherine Meany.

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## CIRCUIT COURT.

## PEOPLES CASES.

The People vs. Robert Pruitt; burglary. Motion for new trial overruled and judgment that he be imprisoned in Chester penitentiary until discharged.

Same vs. Marion Moore; abduction. Jury return verdict of guilty as indicted. Motion for new trial heard and allowed, and cause continued.

Same vs. Harry and Manie Slack; appeal. By agreement of parties defendants allowed to withdraw tender and judgment for plaintiff and against defendant for \$30 and costs, and execution to be stayed to Dec. 1, 1904.

Susie Litter vs. Jane Crum et al.; trespass on the case. By agreement of parties judgment in bar for defendant and each party to pay their own costs.

John A. Carpenter et al. vs. S. T. Erickson; bill. Cause referred to master.

## Lawn mowers at the Big Store

## GOOD SHOWING MADE.

The financial report of the recent Western Illinois High School league meet has been completed by Principal L. A. Fulwider and shows a net profit of \$251.82. This figures the attendance at about 2,400. The efficient manner in which the meet was managed and the financial success reflect great credit on the Illinois college managers. The executive board of the league unanimously decided to hold the meet next year under the same management. The following officers were elected:

President—W. H. D. Mier, of Griggsville.

Secretary—L. A. Fulwider.

Treasurer—J. G. Hutton, Beardstown.

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## NOTICE.

It is earnestly requested that all members of Assembly No. 28, Loyal Americans, be present at the regular meeting to night. Matters of importance to come before the assembly.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

E. M. Caldwell to J. A. Hoon, part of lots 1 and 2, block 37, city addition to Jacksonville, \$800.

## PITTSBURG LINE.

## WILL OPEN JUNE 26.

The date for the opening of the Wabash line into Pittsburg has been set back another week and is now fixed at June 26 instead of June 19. This means that the date of inaugurating the summer time card and the new world's fair service will be changed to conform with this date.

Transportation officials generally are glad of the change in the plan, as it gives more time to line up things for the new trains. The double track on the thirteenth district should be all finished by this time, as should most of the new lap sidings north of the double track. Some of the new passenger engines which are now being built at the Baldwin shops, should be here by that time and the new passenger equipment ought to be finished.

In the meantime, however, the world's fair business is increasing every day and all of the trains now in service are crowded.

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Mr. J. W. Turner, of Truhart, Va., says that Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets have done him more good than anything he could get from the doctor. If any physician in this country was able to compound a medicine that would produce such gratifying results in cases of stomach troubles, biliousness or constipation, his whole time would be used in preparing this one medicine. For sale by all leading druggists.

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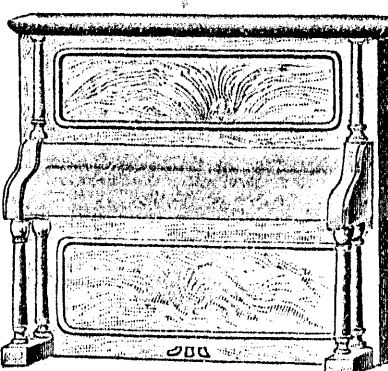
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## City and County

J. L. Miller was up from Franklin yesterday.

Charles Wood and wife, of Prentice, were in town yesterday.

Mrs. George Yeck has returned from a visit in Boardtown.

T. D. McVay, of Chapin, was a visitor in the city Wednesday.

Miss Bertha Ogram has gone to St. Louis for a visit of two weeks.

T. W. Deere and wife, of Franklin, was trading in town yesterday.

Miss Mollie Cully, of Trade Palace, was laid up with illness yesterday.

C. E. Henry, of Woodson, has returned from a visit in Springfield.

J. E. Ligges, of Virden, was a business visitor in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. Sade Benton, of Sinclair, spent Wednesday with friends in the city.

Mrs. Sarah Coking has returned from a visit with friends in Pike county.

Mrs. Isiah Whitlock, of Murrayville, was shopping in the city yesterday.

Miss Esther Asplund has returned to her home in Little Indian for the summer.

W. S. Morgan, of Franklin, was among the visitors in the city Wednesday.

Misses Kathryn and Elizabeth Robertson are spending a few days in Chicago.

Mrs. N. Z. Reinbach and Mrs. Ida Smith represented Franklin in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Morris and Miss Ann Coulter, all of Merritt, were in the city yesterday.

Mrs. William Wainwright, of Winchester, is visiting Mrs. Marsh on North Pine street.

Arthur Corrington is suffering from a severe attack of typhoid fever at Our Savior's hospital.

Mrs. W. P. Harris and Miss Eunice Clark, both of Mary Ann, Ark., were shopping in the city Wednesday.

Whit Reynolds, of Lyons, Kans., is visiting at the home of Mrs. Sarah Coking on West North street.

Miss Constance Williams, of Cass county, was in the city Wednesday to attend the Lewis-Johnson wedding.

Mrs. Salzenstein and daughter, Miss Henrietta, of Ashland, were in the city yesterday on their way to St. Louis.

C. S. Barrows, of Ipava, was visiting his brother, James I. Barrows and wife, on West College street Wednesday.

Piercy Dickinson, one of the substantial farmers near Lynnville, was attending to business matters in town yesterday.

Misses Winnie Allen and Mary Steward, Nimrod Funk and wife and D. W. Haskell were in the city from Exeter yesterday.

R. Lee Jones, of Springfield, was in the city Tuesday and Wednesday looking after business matters and calling on friends.

Isaac Holmberg, the boy who has been ill at the Park hotel, has been taken to Our Savior's hospital. His condition is regarded as serious.

Edward Clifford, who is one of the Cook county delegates to the Republican state convention in Springfield, spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lambert.

In the list published in Wednesday's Journal of pupils who were neither absent nor tardy, the name of Eula Harshaw, of the Lafayette school was omitted by oversight.

Next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock regular services for the deaf will be conducted in the sign language by Rev. H. Hallerberg at Salem Evangelical Lutheran church. Services in English in the evening at 7:30.

Rev. William Hallerberg, Sr., came down from Chicago Tuesday night and visited his son, Rev. H. Hallerberg. He left Wednesday for his home in Quincy, accompanied by his wife, who had been spending the week here.

J. E. Winterbottom will leave for St. Louis today, where he will enroll as a member of the Jefferson guards, as a patrolman in the world's fair grounds. He expects to return in August to take up the campaign work.

Among the visitors from Morgan county who attended the Republican convention in Springfield Wednesday were: Charles S. Rannels, F. J. Andrews, E. S. Greenleaf, George Dunaway, Richard Dye, N. Z. Reinbach and G. Wiseman.

Misses Alice Briggs, of Pasadena, Cal., and Lora Robertson, of Stewartsville, Ill., both of the Woman's college, are the guests of Misses Helen and Stella Shuff at the pleasant home of the latter on West North street, for a number of days.

Felix Lang, the cigarmaker, wishes it understood he is not the one who was recently arrested, and Thomas McMahon, the plasterer, says he is not the man charged with beating a board bill. The names of the offenders mentioned were identified with those of the gentlemen complaining.

F. J. Adams, the traveling man, living on South Church street, expected to leave today with his wife to take in the exposition. Mr. Adams is a delegate from Wichita council, United Commercial Travelers, to the national gathering of the order in St. Louis and a grand time is expected. There is to be a banquet Friday evening among other festivities.

**June festival, Mt. Emory Baptist church from June 6 to 11.**

**GENTRY BROS.' SHOWS.**

The consolidating of Gentry Bros.' famous trained animal shows, which have long been the most popular tented exhibitions in the world, makes an important union of excellent performances by combining what have heretofore traveled separately. The exhibition is fully twice its former size; in addition to the augmented professional displays, the performance this season requires double the space and time that it formerly did.

The famous shows united will exhibit in Jacksonville, Monday, June 13, 1904.

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**NOTICE.**

I have disposed of my tin shop and business to Shafer Bros., who will continue the same at my old stand on South West street, between West State and Morgan streets, and I heartily commend them to the public. I shall also assist them in the conduct of the business as far as my other affairs will permit.

George W. Fox.

**EVENING COMPANY.**

Mrs. Robert Todd entertained Tuesday evening at "Sandusky" the beautiful country home of R. Perkins east of the city, the occasion being the birthday of her husband and his twin sister, Mrs. Gunther, of Virginia. About fifty guests were present and all had an enjoyable time.

## THE LAKE AFFAIR

**Indignation Expressed on Every Hand Over Outrage Perpetrated at Morgan Lake.**

An unusual amount of indignation exists all over the city on account of the dastardly outrage perpetrated at Morgan lake in dynamiting the fish. Several gentlemen have expressed a willingness to increase the sum offered for the arrest and conviction of the offenders, who will be dealt with most summarily if caught. There is a purpose among the people of the city to aid in carrying out the reasonable provisions of the park commission. A few weeks more will suffice to permit the fish to deposit their spawn and about the first of July fishing will be permitted in the lake, but it will be strictly confined to genuine fishermen and not greedy individuals. But one line to a person will be permitted; no one will be allowed to take out two or more poles and stick them in the bank and watch all. Trout lines will be forbidden and the use of blocks to which lines are attached so that one person may watch several hooks at once. The park is for all; free of cost, and the attempt will be made to manage for the greatest good of the greatest number. There are now many pleasant spots with trees and grass and picnic of all kinds are invited to use the place; families, classes, schools and in fact, all people who are willing to do right will be welcome.

**Herman's sacrificing annual June sale of millinery now in progress.**

**THE BIRTH RECORD.**

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William Leason Chandler, of Cincinnati, Ohio, a daughter, Mrs. Chandler was formerly Miss Eunice Scott, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lier are the proud parents of a son, born Wednesday morning at 4 o'clock.

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**ALUMNAE MEETING.**

The Alumnae association of the Academy will hold its reunion tomorrow at 3 o'clock in Academy hall. Mrs. Sara Jane Mathews-Rice will sing. The public is cordially invited.

**WANTED.**

Horse for delivery wagon.

**ZEL'S Grocery.**

**Visit our grocery department in basement at Big Store.**

**ADVERTISED LETTERS.**

remaining in the postoffice at Jacksonville, Ill., for the week ending May 31, 1904. Persons calling for above letters must say "Advertised" and give the date of list. Letters should be addressed to street and number in order to have them delivered promptly.

**LADIES.**

Brown Florence Cunningham Mrs. Mary Frederick Hattie Johnson Mrs. A. S. Kandy Mrs. Alice Lindsey Julia Porter Mrs. Lillie Parker Mrs. J. O. Ransom Zillah Ramsdell May Robertson Mrs. Minnie Robbins Ora Talley Adda Robinson Mrs. Henry Weaver Gusella Thompson Mrs. Edith Nellie

**GENTLEMEN.**

Aene George Allen C. F. Backus John Card W. A. Davenport Samuel Ellis Willie Elkins H. J. Lacy J. F. Loyel Gilbert McCarty Clarence McDonald Julius Mosley W. P. Myers Roy Owens Mack Pratt John Pivarnick Mike Ragsdale Luther Truscott Charles Wallace J. N. Wilson A. E. Wyatt George

**Hammocks at the Big Store.**

## THE DEATH RECORD.

**GRAUBNER.**

Benjamin Graubner died Wednesday morning at 6:50 o'clock, at his day morning at 6:30 o'clock, at his residence, 212 North Main street, after an illness of some duration, although his condition had been very serious only since Saturday night. Death was due to meningitis.

Mr. Graubner was born in Jacksonville in 1862, and spent all his life here, with the exception of three years, during which time he conducted the Commercial hotel in Chapin. He has been interested in various business enterprises here and for about a year has been in the restaurant business on North Main street. He was a member of the Men's Sodality of the Church of Our Savior.

He is survived by his wife and four children, Frances Catherine, aged 6, and Edward Leo, aged 3 years; his mother, Mrs. John Graubner, and five brothers, William, of Chicago, and Henry, Carl, Philip and August, all of this city.

Funeral services will be held at the Church of Our Savior Friday morning at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in Calvary cemetery.

**CORNINGTON.**

Arthur Cornington died at the home of his mother, Mrs. E. J. Cornington, on East College avenue, Thursday morning at 12:15 o'clock, after little more than a week's illness. He was 20 years and 5 months old and is survived by his mother and one sister, Mrs. Thomas Harber.

Deceased was born in this county, in the neighborhood of Salem church, and has always lived in this vicinity. He spent a great part of his life with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ledford. He finished the country school and a course in the Business college and was a first class accountant. For the past two years he has been in the employ of the Country club and has always given excellent satisfaction. His genial disposition and accommodating ways made him many friends everywhere, who will learn of his death with deep and sincere regret.

No arrangements have yet been made for the funeral.

**VALENTINE.**

Jacob Valentine died at his home in Concord Tuesday morning at 2 o'clock, aged about 70 years. He had been ill for about two months with a complication of diseases. He is survived by two children, one sister and one brother, who lives in Danville. His wife preceded him to the great beyond many years ago.

Funeral services were held at the residence Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. W. H. Brainer, a niece of Mr. Valentine's, went from this city to be present at the services.

**BAPTIST.**

Daniel Baptist died last Sunday at Union Town, Kans. He was 48 years of age and was born and reared in this city, having left here five years ago to make his home in Kansas. He is survived by his father, five brothers, his wife and eight children, four sons and four daughters.

His father, Joseph O. Baptist, and three brothers, S. S., Elias and John Baptist, are all residents of this city.

**PAGE.**

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Page died Wednesday morning at 7 o'clock. The remains were taken to Franklin for interment.

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**FUNERALS.**

**BUTCHER.**

The funeral of Mrs. Nancy Butcher was held at the Church of Our Savior Wednesday morning, Rev. Fr. Formaz officiating.

After the services the remains were taken to Jacksonville cemetery and were there laid to rest. The bearers were: Riley, J. D. and George Smith, R. H. Donaldson, Frank McCuen and Mr. Flynn.

**CROSS.**

Funeral services of Mrs. Mary Cross were held at the residence of her granddaughter, Mrs. Herbert J. Henderson, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, in the presence of a large assemblage of relatives and friends. The solemn services were in charge of Rev. R. F. Thrapp. Appropriate hymns were sung by a choir consisting of Mrs. Will Hoge, Miss Marie Finney, W. G. Wolfe and Alex Campbell. The many floral offerings were in charge of Mrs. Edith Dunlap, Mrs. Will Hoge, Mrs. H. C. Clement, Miss Marie Finney and Miss Mabel Henderson.

After the services the remains were conveyed to Diamond Grove cemetery and were there laid to rest. The bearers were: B. B. Gray, Deem Rapp, T. H. Curtis, S. C. Brockman, C. L. Hayden and George Bradley.

Mrs. Mary Cross was born in Stevenson, Scotland, in 1819, and came to this country with her parents twelve years later. The family resided in New York, Missouri and Indiana, at various times, until the death of the husband nineteen years ago, shortly after which bereavement Mrs. Cross removed to this city, where she lived until death claimed her.

She is survived by two daughters, Miss Mary Cross, of this city, and Mrs. E. B. Collins, of Decatur, and one son, William Cross, of Logansport, Ind. These, together with a nephew, James Gibson, of Cincinnati, and a cousin, Mrs. Mary Sessions, of St. Louis, attended the funeral services here Wednesday.

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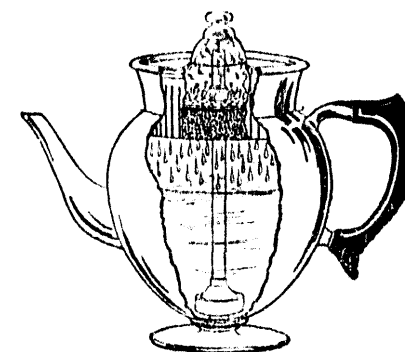
They are more than simply thin clothes. They will fit you and are made so they will keep in good shape through the season. They are made in the right kind of fabrics, light, medium and dark colors. It will be a pleasure to have you call and try them on.

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High priced cotton don't make low priced white quilts, but we're ready to sell this week about 75 full sized quilts, hemmed ready for use; easily worth \$1.25, for 98c each.

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200 yards all silk white China, 19 inches wide. There are a hundred different uses for this soft, washable white silk for summer year; special bargain. Our price, 25c per yard.

## Cotton Voiles at 20c &amp; 25c yd

Here's the correct material for traveling and world's fair wear. They come in plain and mixed colors, navy, black, brown, green, cadet, etc., and can hardly be told from the handsome wool voiles. The unusual demand has made some colors scarce. We have them all to day.

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We have 150 yards rich, black, glossy Peau de Soie dress silks, 24 inches wide; heavy all silk and worth easily \$1.40 per yard. On sale this week only for 98c per yard.

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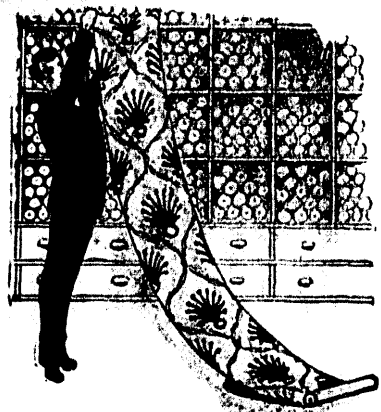
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## HINTS FOR FARMERS

### Testing Seed Corn.

The Ohio experiment station predicts trouble with seed corn this year. The corn dried slowly last year, and hard weather came early. Tests have shown from 60 to 80 per cent of vitality. Before planting the corn should be tested. A convenient way to test corn is between sheets of moist paper or cloth placed in a box of suitable size. Several lots may be tested at once and examined much more easily and quickly than when planted in sand. Simply keep the paper moist and where the temperature does not fall below 55 degrees. It should all germinate in from four to eight days, depending upon the sort of corn weather furnished. Handled in this way it is possible to examine it daily and note the progress of germination. There are different degrees of vitality in corn that will germinate. Many of the weak, sprouting stalks which produce a small nubbin or nothing at all spring from seed of barely enough vitality to get the plant above the ground. Seed that will grow fairly well when conditions are favorable at seeding time will rot if cold, damp weather happens to prevail. If possible, use only such seed as has large, bright looking germs. Wrinkled and dull colored germs have likely been injured by freezing. Plumpness at the tip is an evidence of vitality. Thin, shrunken kernels having sharp pointed tips should be rejected as well as those having an excess of soft, white starch at either crown or tip.

### Potato Experience.

There is one operation that many farmers might well make a change in, and that is in the method of planting potatoes, says F. H. Dow in American Cultivator. To cover with a hand hoe is too slow a process, and it can be better done by horsepower too. My own method is as follows:

After the field is nicely harrowed I open furrows three feet apart with the horse hoe, and after the seed is dropped the covering is done with the same implement, which leaves a ridge over the seed. In about a week the smoothing harrow is drawn over the field, which partially levels the ridges and destroys millions of little weeds.

In a few days the operation is repeated and again in a few days afterward. Soon the potatoes appear, and then the horse hoe throws a little dirt on them, which smothers the weeds and invigorates the potatoes. This operation, too, is repeated in a few days, and by running the cultivator or horse hoe between the rows at intervals of a few days until the tops are so large as to be disturbed there is usually but little trouble from weeds.

### Stick to the Farm.

If every farmer in Illinois who is able to move to the city and build him a new home would stay on his farm and spend the same amount of money in improvements, this would be the most beautiful state in the Union and the garden spot of America, says A. J. Lovejoy in the Chicago Record-Herald.

This is an age of specialism and concentration of thought and ideas along one line, either in manufacturing, commerce, farming or stock breeding, which will result in a large business being built up and a reputation established for whatever is manufactured or produced. If manufacturers can build up a large business by giving special attention to one or two lines, why cannot a farmer by making a specialty of some one or two things become an expert in these and also build a large business and a lasting reputation that will command a market and a good price for all he produces either in the growing of grain for seed or the breeding of live stock for the market or for the breeder?

### Experiments With Oats.

Some interesting Alabama oat experiments are noted by the department of agriculture, showing a largely increased yield through the use of nitrate of soda. The average results of three experiments show that fall oats receiving a hundred pounds nitrate of soda per acre yielded 14.75 bushels more than the check tests. With nitrate at 3 cents a pound and oats 50 cents a bushel the net profit per acre for the nitrate area was over \$4 for the grain alone, while the increased yield of straw was a third of a ton.

On spring sown oats the use of nitrate of soda and cottonseed meal as fertilizers was either without effect or actually detrimental.

### Seed soaked for ten minutes in water at 133 degrees F. produced a crop free from smut, while oats unsoaked contained 3 per cent of smutted heads.

### The Robin and Fruit Trouble.

Let us understand about this robin and fruit struggle. Fruit growers do not want to exterminate the robins. They would not go out of their way to kill them. What they want to do is to protect their property. We feel sure that some robins, if not all, have changed their food habits—and that they eat far more cultivated fruit than they are worth. That being so, the owners of the fruit are quite justified in driving away or destroying such birds. Let us not one fear that the robin will be exterminated. He is quite able to take care of himself. If, as the naturalists say, the bird lives mostly on insects and wild fruits, he will not suffer if driven from the fruit garden. —Rural New Yorker.

### Farmer His Own Packer.

The farmer should be and no doubt will be his own packer in the near future. Farm and dairy products are easily packed for the home market and become more valuable as the producer becomes acquainted with simple methods which preserve both flavor and quality. —Farm and Ranch.

## SHORT STORIES.

The cost of taking the first census was a little over a cent per head, that of the last census 17 cents.

Tourists returning from abroad can now bring through the custom house free of duty all articles to the value of \$100 except cigars, cigarettes and liquors.

Rear Admiral Walker estimates that it will take the steady work of 40,000 men who can stand the climate eight years to finish the digging of the Panama canal.

A funeral in Mittenague, Mass., was postponed a day because the gravedigger from sympathetic motives refused to dig a grave for the body of a deceased friend.

James Mencher of Green Ridge, in Arrostook, Me., followed a truck thirty-nine miles on snowshoes in a snowstorm the other day only to find the fox to be a pretty badly fagged dog.

There are three houses in Manomet, Mass., that were standing when George Washington was president. The oldest is owned and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bartlett. The next is the old Clark house, owned by H. B. Taylor, and the third is owned and occupied by Mrs. Sarah M. Briggs.

## HORSES AND HORSEMEN.

Champion Lou Dillon at Memphis has wintered splendidly. Look out for a new trotting record.

E. E. Smathers, owner of Lord Derby and Major Delmar, has given up his proposed auto tour of the world.

C. W. Roberts of Crab Orchard, Neb., has sold the two-year-old filly May Call, by Brocade, 2:28, to a Colorado buyer.

Gilbert Harrison, of Guy Caton (2:10 1/4) fame, thinks of opening a public stable at Woodland park, Sioux City, Ia.

C. H. Green of El Dorado, Kan., has sold the stallion Vacarro, 7:20, by Atlantic, 2:21, dam Maid, by Hull, 1:23, to John Danton of Anthony, Kan.

Racing events of the past season of 1903 have served to place the name of Casagrinia, 2:25 1/4, high among those of the breed makers that rank highest as producers of extreme trotting speed.

George M. Studebaker of South Bend, Ind., has bought the trotting mare Dora M., trial 2:20 1/4, from Abe Sommerfeld of Laporte, Ind., and the pacer Tomator, 2:19 1/4, from Willis E. Deat of Laporte.

## PLAYS AND PLAYERS.

The historic Madison Square theater, New York, will probably never be used again.

Maxine Elliott and Maude Adams are said to have been born in the same month.

Ben Greet of "Every Man" fame has played Orlando in "As You Like It" more than 1,000 times.

Later in the spring Richard Mansfield will play in San Francisco for the first time in nine years.

Pay Templeton will be the leading attraction of the New Amsterdam roof garden in New York during the summer.

Shakespearean productions are making much more money on the road than in long engagements in large cities.

Forbes Robertson made his star debut in March, 1874, in London. He then appeared in "Marie Stuart," playing the role of Chastelard.

Kyrle Bellows is one of the most versatile actors in America. On short notice he could star acceptably in any role, from Shakespearean tragedy to farce comedy.

## EDITORIAL FLINGS.

Admiral Togo acts as if he thought Port Arthur might get away some dark night. —Philadelphia Inquirer.

Herr Corried says the proposed production of "Parafal" in English would be a "desecration." For heaven's sake let it go at that! —Milwaukee Sentinel.

The renewed announcement that the Balfour ministry is "upon its last legs" suggests that it must be a very certain among ministries. —Philadelphia North American.

The Standard Oil company paid only \$44 in dividends on a \$100 share last year, and it starts off with a March dividend of \$20 a share, where last year's was \$10. This must make the stockholders feel poor. —New York World.

Radium not only cures fits, blindness, badness, cancer, rheumatism, toothache and locomotor ataxia, but it is claimed to be a remedy for wife beating. It is safe to call it a remedy for anything so long as it costs \$500,000 an ounce and you can't find the ounce. —Brooklyn Eagle.

## GERMAN CLEANINGS.

There were 6,000 duels in Germany last year, with a mortality of twenty-two, as shown by official reports.

More than one-third of Berlin's expenditure of 141,000,000 marks last year was for sanitary and educational purposes.

On the German emperor's birthday the inhabitants of Cologne are allowed to cross the Rhine bridge free provided they go on foot. Carriages pay as usual.

Pleasure launches are seldom seen on German rivers or buggies on German roads. The implements used on small farms and in some shops are as clumsy as they were a century ago.

The municipal regulations of Berlin insist that refuse, ashes and all that is generally though inaccurately summarized by the term "dust" should be carried through the streets in airtight receptacles.

## WOMAN AND FASHION

### Parisian Suit.

This suit is of royal blue, fancy tailor made, in taffeta, box plaited skirt, with



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three flounces; Eton coat, ornamented with stole, trimmed with fringe and Persian embroidery.

### Lace For Summer Millinery.

Immense use is made of lace, which is generally of a mellow hue when not actually tinted, rarely quite white. All sorts of lace are in request, the heavier styles of guipure motifs and garlands with raised patterns for interlacing and application work; brussels, mechlin and other pillow lace for draperies and also for veiling shapes covered plain with two or three layers of pale hued mousseline or tulle. Something is done with black chintz, particularly as a trimming for black picture hats, further decorated with black plumes.

Straw braids figure among the trimmings of made up hats. For this purpose they must necessarily be of a light description. Plain tuscany, rice straw and fair braids are applicable, as well as lace woven braids wrought in guipure patterns and used as a substitute for lace. In some of these models the entire trimming is carried out in applique or with incrustations rendered all the more effective by reason of the semitransparency of the foundation. Besides the guipure of straw braids, intervals will be occupied by medallions of fine lace formed in ruchings of narrow ribbon, or, better still, with chaplets of small roses. Even when bows of ribbon enter into the scheme of decoration these will be sewed down flat on the shape so as to form incrustations in relief. —Millinery Trade Review.

### An Elegant Frock.

A very elegant chiffon frock is in the fashionable shade of corn color. It has six accordion plaited flounces around the front and seven in the back, and around the middle of each flounce is a band of lace medallions of filmy lace in a deep cream color. A twist of gold colored chenille outlines these lace medallions very effectively. The medallions are of graduated sizes—smaller ones in the top bands of lace and larger ones in the bottom, where one ruffle will have a large medallion on it and the alternate ruffle will have a smaller one in the band. The yoke has two flounces around it and two bands of lace, and the sleeves have two flounces and two bands of lace and are accented plaited, like the blouse, and short. The skirt is wide, of drawn folds of liberty silk, covered with appliques of the lace and finished in the back with a silk braid ornament and dangles to match.

### A Trim French Sailor.

The hat here shown is intended to be worn with a smart pedestrian suit. Its wide brim and severe trimming



BECOMING TO A YOUNG FACE.

make it especially becoming to a young face. On each side of the front is a stiff bow made of gold braid and velvet. The braid around the crown is of the same materials. —Buffalo News.

### Floral Chains.

Floral chains are taking the place of the bead ones which have been so popular until recently. These floral fancies are made of ribbon or silk and are worn chain fashion. Violets, bouton roses and forget-me-nots are the favorites.

## BREVITIES

### THE HALL OF FAME.

The Duke of Teck has been appointed temporary military attaché at Vienna.

Ullman Howe of Factory Village, N. H., seventy-seven years of age, has sowed and piled twenty-four cords of wood during the winter.

Captain Ira W. Cary, who played an important part in the second day of the battle of Gettysburg, has just died at his home in Morrisburg, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Light of Bartlettville, Me., who have lived in the same place for fifty-one years, have boarded thirty-seven schoolteachers in that time.

Moses Myers of Quinton, N. J., seventy years of age, is the oldest window light blower in the country. He has fifteen children and is teaching the youngest the trade.

Andrew Gibson, a shipowner and merchant of Liverpool, has announced his intention of building and endowing a home for widows of seamen at Egremont, Cheshire, England.

President Loubet of France has entered upon the sixth year of his administration. The full term is seven years. He has been entertained by more high potentates than any previous chief of state of France.

The British minister at Seoul recently presented a monster silver cup from King Edward to the emperor of Korea on the celebration of his fortieth birthday. The emperor expressed his immense gratification at the gift.

Dr. Samuel Emery of West Newbury, Mass., who died recently on the way from Porto Rico to Boston, is the last of seven generations who have lived on the same spot since the land was granted to them by the Indians.

John L. Tuckerman placed the halcyons on the liberty pole at Portsmouth, N. H., this year, as he has done for several years past, at about this time of year. The pole is 114 feet high, and Mr. Tuckerman is seventy-five years of age.

### BRITISH BRIEFS.

Ireland has now a bank holiday all to itself—namely, St. Patrick's day.

The average farm laborer's family in England lives on \$185 a year. The average mechanic's family spends \$300.

The British parliament when filled consists of 593 peers and 670 members of the house of commons, a total of 1,263 persons.

The new lighthouse at Dungannon, which has been two years in building, is now completed. It will be one of the most powerful on the British coast.

Half a dozen ring snakes, a harmless variety, have recently been captured near Dublin. It is supposed that they escaped from sailors who took them to Ireland to sell as curiosities.

While London is steadily growing, the population of the "City" is constantly decreasing. In 1871 it was 47,000; today it is 30,000. Nearly 5,000 of its buildings are not inhabited at night.

### MODES OF THE MOMENT.

Shaded white effects are much in evidence in the southeasterly trimmings.

A new voile, something of a cross between cloth and crepe de chine, is among the latest fabrics for spring costumes.

Brown, and especially a particular shade of brown unromantically known as "mud color," is in the lead in the new colored veillings. —New York Tribune.

Sleeves are still full and voluminous below the elbow, but in the summer dresses they will be half-length, and some will fall in fan plaits from the elbow.

A new fashion in combs to be worn in the hair is the long comb, curved to fit the shape of the head. It is worn in a vertical position, to hold the back hair in place.

### WORLD'S FAIR NOTES.

There are 147,250 panes of glass 15 by 23 inches in the Palace of Agriculture at the world's fair.

Two hundred of Uncle Sam's marines who have been on duty at Panama are going to the fair to give exhibition drills.

Night has been turned into day in all of the large exhibit palaces. Numerous electric lights have been put in place, and scores of workmen are busy night as well as day installing the exhibits.

The Belgian building, one of the largest and handsomest in the foreign section, is remarkable in that the walls are not broken by a single window. The large structure is well lighted by immense skylights seventy-five feet above the floor.

### THE COOKBOOK.

Salt pork for cooking should be clear fat. The lean has a harsh, salt flavor. A pinch of sugar added to freshly made mustard not only makes it much more tasty, but keeps it fresh much longer.

In baking bread or rolls put a saucepan of boiling water into the oven. The steam will keep the crust smooth and tender.

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### The Land of Paper.

The Japanese use paper at every moment. The string with which a deft handed "darning of the gods" does up the articles you buy is made of paper. The handkerchief (thrown away after use) is paper, the partitions dividing the houses are paper, and the pane through which an indiscreet eye looks at you is paper? The pane is certainly wanting in transparency, but there is a simple remedy, says Home Notes. One finger is passed through the paper—that is all! Afterward a small piece is stuck on the opening with a grain of rice. The men's hats, the cloak of the porter who carries his burden, singing a cadence, through the rain; the garment of the boatman who conducts you on board, the tobacco pouch, cigar case—all are paper! Those elegant flowers ornamenting the beautiful hair of the Japanese ladies and those robe collars which are taken for crape—paper!

### The Rat's Good Points.

A successful rat show was recently held at Cheltenham, England. There were sixty exhibits of black, gold, gray, white, piebald and tan rats. Some agricultural journals commenting on it maintain that the rat has an economic future and may become a table dainty in England, as it is in China. To many people the show is the first correction of the impression that rats are all alike, whereas the varieties of them, all more or less alike in characteristics, are quite numerous. The first display having been a marked success, others will no doubt follow and the rodent be studied with increasing attention, the prospect, however, of finding out anything good about him being not at all promising.

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### INDICATIONS.

Washington, June 2.—For Illinois: Partly cloudy Thursday; showers in the north and central portions; warmer in extreme north portion. Friday partly cloudy; variable winds.

### JUNIOR EXHIBITION

Annual Contest in Oratory Will Take Place in Jones Memorial Building Saturday Evening.

The annual junior oratorical contest will be held Saturday evening at 8 o'clock in the college chapel. The program promises to be one of unusual merit. The speakers have been working hard for about two months and a very close contest is expected. The winner represents the college in the state intercollegiate contest next fall. The speakers and subjects are as follows: R. E. Harmon, "The New Slavery"; L. H. Ward, "Politics and the Citizen"; Walter Bellatti, "The Problem of Public Utilities"; E. T. Brown, "The Problem of the Slums"; C. E. Carter, "The World's Ideal."

June festival, Mt. Emory Baptist church from June 6 to 11.

### FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of George N. Davis will be conducted from the residence on South West street at 2:30 o'clock to day.

Ice cream freezers at the Big Store.

### ELECTED TRUSTEE.

At the recent meeting of the board of trustees of the Woman's college, the resignation of Miss Mary Peggum, of Lincoln, one of the alumni trustees, was read. Miss Peggum felt called upon to resign her position owing to impaired health, and it was with sincere regret that the board voted to accept the resignation.

This vacancy in the alumni list was filled at the recent meeting of the Alumnae association by the election of Mrs. Fred H. Rowe.

### AN HONORABLE RECORD.

Wednesday Robert Preston Lewis gave up the place of sexton of Westminster church, which he has held since 1886. During this time he has performed the duties incumbent upon him in an exceptionally faithful and satisfactory manner, and his withdrawal will be a matter of regret to those he has served. To be a sexton, and to be prompt at the ringing of the bell, on time, and to be on hand early and late, rain or shine, for a period of eighteen years, is an unusual thing. In that time the sexton has seen the passing of the old church; was watchman in the new one before it was completed, and has had full charge of the new edifice for over four years. In the years past he has well attended to the house; has been present at festivals; has opened the doors for weddings, and has tolled the bell for funerals, and has become a part of the institution.

Screen doors and windows at the Big Store.

One dollar to Springfield and return to day.

### DANCING PARTY.

Miss Mae Brown and Miss Myrtle Wood entertained a large company of friends at the Country club Wednesday evening. It was a dancing party given in honor of their guests, Miss Lela Warfield, of Waco, Texas, and Miss Jane Johnson, of St. Elmo, Ills.

The club house was artistically decorated with flowers and blossoms of the spring season and presented a very attractive appearance. A program of twenty dances was enjoyed and the evening was indeed one of great pleasure. Jeffries' orchestra furnished a splendid musical program and delicious refreshments were served when the program was half concluded.

The chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brown and Mrs. Neil Duckels.

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### THE MATRIMONIAL RECORD.

#### SPELMAN-ROTTGER.

A very beautiful afternoon wedding was that which occurred Wednesday at 3 o'clock, when Harlen Fitch Spelman and Miss Wilhelmina home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Anna M. Rottger, on East State street. The wedding was a very quiet one, only immediate relatives and intimate friends being present.

The ceremony was performed in the music room, Dr. W. F. Short officiating. It was especially fitting that Dr. Short should perform the ceremony, as, just five years ago, on the first of June, the bride's sister, Maude, was married by Mr. Short to Mr. Thomas Wilson Sweeney.

The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion with red and white carnations. In the living room white was the prevailing color; in the music room, red, and in the dining room, red and white.

The bride and groom were the recipients of many handsome and valuable presents, including many pieces of silverware and cut glass.

Mr. Spelman is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Byron Thomas Spelman and has spent practically all his life here until the past winter, when he went to Dallas, Texas, and entered the employ of one of the leading undertakers of that city. He is known as an honest, industrious young man and he will have the best wishes of hosts of warm friends. The bride is a charming young lady, who has endeared herself to many by her quiet, unassuming ways, and her many excellent traits of character.

Mr. and Mrs. Spelman left Wednesday afternoon for St. Louis, where they will visit the fair, after which they will make an extensive tour of the west, visiting Denver, Los Angeles, El Paso and Mexico City. They will be at home after July 1 at Dallas, Texas, where the groom has already prepared a home at the corner of Main and Harwood streets.

Those from out of the city who attended the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Sweeney, of Rushville; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rottger, of Springfield; and Mrs. W. W. Cassell, of Vincennes, Ind.

### LEWIS-JOHNSON.

Charles R. Lewis, of Prentice, and Miss Emma Johnson, of this city, were married Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Rev. A. L. T. Ewert, at the Centenary parsonage, in the presence of a few intimate friends.

The bride is a very estimable young lady, who has made her home for the past three years with Mr. and Mrs. John R. Davey on South Clay avenue, both her parents being dead. She is possessed of many beautiful traits of character which have endeared her to many friends. Mr. Lewis is a well known business man, being a member of the firm of Hubbs & Lewis, who own several large elevators in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis have gone to Springfield, from which city they will go to St. Louis for a week's visit. Upon their return they will make their home temporarily in Prentice.

### BLACKFORD-WINDOR.

Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock, at the home of H. A. Blackford, of South Main street, the marriage of the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Windor was celebrated, Rev. D. D. Holmes officiating. Only a few of the relatives and most intimate friends witnessed the ceremony.

The bride was becomingly gowned in French lawn, made en train, and carried bride's roses.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Windor and is highly esteemed by her many friends. The groom is a prosperous young farmer. Both have many friends who join in wishing them a happy and prosperous life.

Mr. and Mrs. Windor will be at home to their friends at 1056 South Main street.

### GRAFF-LOFTUS.

The marriage of Mr. Owen Graff and Miss Marietta Loftus was solemnized at the home of the bride's mother, 224 West College street, Wednesday evening. It was a quiet, home wedding and was witnessed by only the immediate friends and relatives of the contracting parties. Rev. R. F. Thrapp, pastor of the Christian church, performed the ceremony, using the beautiful ring service.

The bride is a young lady whose personal popularity is attested by a large circle of friends, and possesses many graces of character.

The groom is a young man of industry and integrity and his splendid traits of character are equally admired. He is employed at Obermeyer's drug store.

Mr. and Mrs. Graff will leave this morning for a wedding trip and upon their return will be at home at 224 West College street.

### EVANS-WILD.

Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. Robert Jackson, on North Prairie street, the wedding of her niece, Miss Mary Wild to Mr. William D. Evans was celebrated. The young couple are from Murrayville. The ring ceremony was used, Rev. A. L. T. Ewert officiating. Miss Mary Jackson assisted as bridesmaid and W. T. Jackson was best man, both cousins of the bride. After the ceremony and congratulations an elegant dinner was served.

The young couple left on the afternoon train for Murrayville, where they will make their home.

### FRAZZER-HOLDER.

Jack Frazier, of Mayfield, Ky., and Miss Christina Holder, of this city, were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. A. L. T. Ewert. Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom left by wagon for Springfield.

Herman's sacrificing annual June sale of millinery now in progress.

### SUCCUMBS TO INJURIES.

Springfield Journal: R. A. Reardon, of Evansville, Ind., the youngest brother of H. S. Reardon, of Springfield, died Tuesday at a hospital in Evansville of injuries suffered Decoration day, when he fell beneath a train on the Southern road while coupling cars.

The death of Reardon is particularly sad. He had received word Sunday, only, that he had been promoted from brakeman to a conductor. He immediately notified his wife at Shawneetown that he would be home Decoration day to spend the day. Soon after a friend asked him to work for him Decoration day and he consented with the above result.

Reardon was 30 years old and is survived by his wife and one child.

### SPEED PROGRAM AT GRIGGSVILLE FAIR.

The Illinois Valley fair this year will take place at Griggsville, Aug. 2 to 5. The speed program is to be as follows:

Tuesday, Aug. 2—2:30 class trotting, stake \$500; 2:30 class pacing, stake \$500; 2:30 class county trotting, purse \$150.

Wednesday, Aug. 3—2:18 class trotting, purse \$300; 2:17 class pacing, purse \$300; running, one mile dash, purse \$75.

Thursday, Aug. 4—2:12 class trotting, purse \$300; 2:09 class pacing, purse \$300; running, one mile novelty purse \$80.

Friday, Aug. 5—2:23 class trotting, stake \$500; 2:23 class pacing, stake \$500; 2:30 class county pacing, purse \$150.

Miss Jeanette Danley and Nick Shultz, also Mr. Margaret Mearns departed for Springfield last evening.

### DIES WHILE WALKING

#### Ex-State Official of Iowa Expires of Heart Failure.

Des Moines, June 1.—Former Lieut. Gov. Benjamin F. Gue, aged 76, died suddenly this afternoon, expiring of heart failure while out for a walk near his residence in this city. Gue was closely associated with developments of Iowa. He was one of the founders of the Republican party; was a member of both branches of the state legislature at different times, and lieutenant governor in 1885; United States pension agent for Iowa and Nebraska for eight years, and one of the founders of the state college of agriculture. He was also a prominent newspaper man and recently completed publication of a history of Iowa.

### INUNCTION DENIED.

Beaver Dam, Wis., June 1. Judge Dick to day denied the motion for a preliminary inunction in the suit brought by the Middleboro Iron Range company of this city to obtain an inunction restraining strikers at the plaintiff's plant from interfering with employees of the plaintiff. The court found no act of violence or injury had been committed by defendants; that defendants had not interfered with rights of the plaintiff, and that there has been no conspiracy or boycott against the plaintiff.

### PERISHED IN HOUSE.

Mayking, Ky., June 1. The home of Henry Luther on Cumberland mountain was destroyed by fire. Luther, wife and two children perished.

### REORGANIZED LODGE.

Harry Adger: The lodge of the Knights of Pythias, which was suspended about three years ago, was reorganized by Deputy Grand Chancellor Harry A. Massie, of New Canton, by the election of the following officers:

Chancellor—commander—J. B. Hazen. Vice-chancellor—George McKinney.

Prelate—W. W. Watson. M. of W.—John Weber. K. of R. and S.—G. H. Wike. M. of F.—D. E. Akers. M. of E.—J. A. McClain. M. at A.—Moses Morry. I. G.—William Lippincott. O. G.—N. R. Davis.

Trustees—One year, John Weber; two years, Ed Spain; three years, N. R. Davis.

Representative—J. B. Hazen. The lodge now has about twenty-five members. A number of our young men have expressed a desire to join, four having already made application for membership. The prospects for a large membership are now very good.

On account of the Republican state convention at Springfield June 2 the Wash will sell round trip tickets at \$1.00. Limit, June 4.

## When you Buy Clothing



you naturally want the most stylish and the best clothing that you can get for your money. That's what we will give you. The style, fabric and workmanship are every bit as good as to-order made apparel that cost double our prices. The ever increasing number of discriminating men who come here for their apparel is the result of the wonderful clothing values we offer. Here are a few special offerings in men's spring suits that ought to appeal to every man who wishes to dress well yet economically.

### Our Specials

Men's sack suits, three button single breasted, slightly cutaway, snug fitting collar, broad shoulders, made of splendid fabrics in black and medium color effects: worth 12.50; our price only..... **\$10**

Men's sack suits, very stylish models, single or double breasted coat, handsomely tailored and finished throughout, made of fine Tweeds, Cheviots and worsteds worth 15; our price only..... **\$12**

Men's sack suits, in single and double breasted styles; equal in every detail to the finest custom tailoring, made of exceptionally fine Cheviots, Tweeds and Worsteds, worth 18; our price only..... **\$15**

No matter whether you buy a \$10 suit or a \$25 suit, you will get garments that are correct in every fashion detail and that will fit you perfectly.

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### In Men's Low Shoes

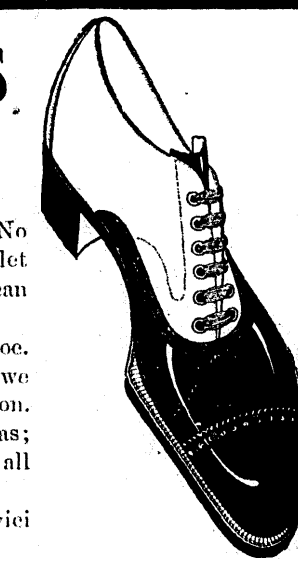
What a man wants is comfort during warm weather. No cramped shoe will be tolerated at that time. If you will let us fit you out with a pair of our well-fitting low shoes, you can have rest and comfort all the rest of the summer.

The question is where to get a good fit and a reliable shoe. We are experts at fitting and as far as quality is concerned, we are pretty well satisfied that our shoes are above comparison. The styles that we are displaying are new models, new ideas; the very latest from the works. All leathers, black or tan; all prices—\$2.00 to \$5.00 per pair.

A nice assortment of boys' and youths' low cuts in tan, vici or patent.

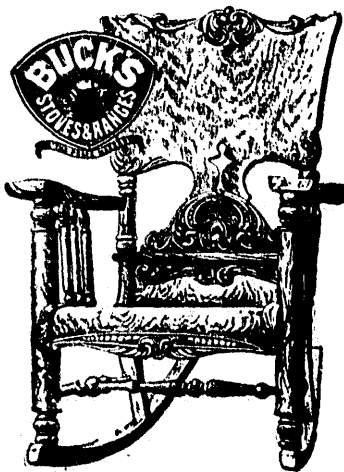
We sell the Walk-Overs.

HOPPER & SON, South Side Shoe Men.



## For the June Bride

We know of no gift more appropriate and surely none so acceptable as some piece of furniture. If you can't decide exactly what you want, pay us a visit; we'll gladly help you with suggestions and you can't fail to find something that just suits you in our big stock.



PRICES HERE ARE JUST A LITTLE LESS THAN YOU EXPECT TO PAY

### Lace Curtain Specials

Odd pairs, one half to two pairs of a pattern. One half price. Everything in Lace Curtains and Draperies at 20 per cent discount, this week only.

### Algerian Porch Rugs

Especially Swell and New. 4x7, regular \$ 8.50 ..... **\$ 6.90**  
6x10, regular 16.00 ..... **12.90**  
8x10, regular 21.00 ..... **17.90**

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